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SEASON REPORT FOR THE WEEK ENDING WITH THE THIRTY-NINTH SATURDAY IN 1948.

(25TH SEPTEMBER 1948).

Rainfall up to 8 a.m. on Saturday the 25th September 1948.

District and Station	This week	Last 35 years' average for the corresponding week 23·87	Up to the end of the week from 1st January 1948 — This year	Average of past 35 years	Excess (+) or deficit (−) of col. 4 compared with col. 5 + 14·83
1	2	3	4	5	6
	In. c.	In. c.	In. c.	In. c.	In. c.
BANGALORE.					
Bangalore City and Taluk	0 03	2 48	32 37	24 46	+7 91
Hoskote ...	0 00	1 89	18 76	19 78	+1 02
Dodballapur ...	0 10	2 08	11 51	21 07	−9 56
Nelamangala ...	0 00	2 04	23 25	21 15	+2 10
Kankanhalli ...	0 05	2 10	28 80	21 46	+7 34
Magadi ...	0 00	2 13	16 88	22 85	−5 07
Channapatna ...	0 34	2 14	22 63	22 69	−0 06
Anekal ...	0 55	1 82	17 25	22 54	−6 29
Devanhalli ...	0 00	2 14	24 00	20 47	+3 53
Closepet ...	1 10	2 41	25 90	22 97	+2 93
District Average ...	0 22	2 12	22 14	22 04	+0 09
KOLAR.					
Kolar ...	0 00	1 59	15 31	18 66	−3 35
Bowringpet ...	0 00	1 68	15 36	19 13	−3 77
Chintamani ...	0 45	1 57	14 92	17 81	−2 89
Mulbagal ...	0 00	1 58	15 18	19 46	−4 28
Sidlaghatta ...	0 31	1 90	17 01	20 07	−3 06
Chikballapur ...	0 00	2 03	18 02	21 73	−3 71
Bagepalli ...	0 10	1 83	18 70	18 37	+0 33
Goribidnur ...	0 00	2 27	14 24	19 03	−4 79
Malur ...	0 15	2 02	20 48	20 27	+0 21
Srinivaspur ...	0 00	1 76	14 65	19 09	−4 44
Gudibanda ...	0 85	2 36	24 92	21 48	+3 44
District Average ...	0 17	1 87	17 16	19 55	−2 39
TUMKUR.					
Tumkur ...	0 00	2 11	18 47	22 23	−3 76
Madhugiri ...	0 15	1 94	16 10	17 96	−1 86
Chiknaikanhalli ...	0 00	1 88	12 95	17 98	−5 03
Sira ...	0 00	1 89	15 91	14 69	+1 22
Gubbi ...	0 00	2 21	21 63	19 27	+2 36
Tiptur ...	0 42	1 62	11 96	16 33	−4 37
Pavagada ...	0 38	1 46	12 89	13 91	−1 02
Kunigal ...	0 16	2 25	18 26	20 72	−2 46
Kortagere ...	0 00	1 93	13 91	17 55	−3 64
Turuvekere ...	0 15	2 12	13 65	17 70	−4 05
District Average ...	0 12	1 94	15 57	17 83	−2 60
MYSORE.					
Mysore ...	1 73	1 43	20 53	20 24	+0 29
Chamarajnagar ...	0 00	1 15	21 72	17 63	+4 09
Hunsur ...	0 22	1 13	17 46	21 89	−4 43
Krishnarajnagar ...	0 33	1 38	19 27	16 18	+3 05
Heggaddevankote ...	0 00	0 99	24 12	28 24	−4 12
Gundlupet ...	0 14	0 76	17 35	16 55	+0 80
Nanjangud ...	0 09	1 17	19 11	19 76	−0 65
T.-Narsipur ...	0 00	1 39	20 29	18 26	+2 03
Periyapatna ...	0 46	0 93	23 11	24 46	−1 35
District Average ...	0 39	1 14	20 36	20 85	+0 01

Rainfall up to 8 a.m. on Saturday the 25th September 1948—contd.

District and Station	This week	Last 35 years' average for the corresponding week 23·87	Up to the end of the week from 1st January 1948 — This year	Average of past 35 years	Excess (+) or deficit (−) of col. 4 compared with col. 5
1	2	3	4	5	6
	In. c.	In. c.	In. c.	In. c.	In. c.
MANDYA.					
Mandya ...	0 17	1 64	15 15	17 98	−2 83
Seringapatam ...	0 00	1 37	14 63	17 38	−2 75
Malvalli ...	0 00	1 44	22 32	17 97	+4 35
Krishnarajpet ...	0 14	1 54	18 01	18 98	−0 97
Nagamangala ...	0 48	1 71	18 43	17 09	+1 34
Maddur ...	0 66	1 91	17 19	18 76	−1 57
French-Rocks ...	0 05	1 46	18 77	16 94	+1 83
District Average ...	0 21	1 58	17 78	17 87	−0 09
HASSAN.					
Hassan ...	0 10	1 21	22 65	24 17	−1 52
Manjarabad (Saklespur) ...	2 75	1 18	91 52	80 85	+10 67
Arkalgud ...	0 12	0 80	28 27	27 92	+0 35
Belur ...	0 72	1 07	26 96	29 97	−3 01
Channarayapatna ...	0 14	1 33	16 97	18 14	−1 17
Arsikere ...	0 00	1 44	12 81	17 24	+4 93
Hole-Narsipur ...	0 00	1 09	19 05	18 34	+0 71
Alur ...	0 32	1 07	32 51	32 89	−0 23
District average ...	0 52	1 15	31 28	31 17	+0 1
SHIMOGA.					
Shimoga ...	0 00	0 97	20 50	25 43	−4 93
Channagiri ...	0 20	1 27	28 33	21 50	+6 83
Honnali ...	0 08	1 27	14 95	16 21	+1 26
Shikarpur ...	0 85	0 84	55 02	27 84	+27 18
Sorab ...	1 30	0 82	74 56	52 79	+21 77
Sagar ...	0 82	0 99	99 74	74 61	+25 13
Nagar (Kallurkatte) ...	3 19	1 21	138 62	95 06	+43 56
Tirthahalli ...	3 10	1 43	106 60	111 82	−5 22
Bhadravathi ...	0 83	0 00	28 12	00 00	0 00
District Average ...	1 15	1 10	62 94	53 16	+9 78
CHIKMAGALUR.					
Chikmagalur ...	0 62	1 10	29 64	23 61	+6 03
Kadur ...	0 00	1 10	18 25	13 44	−0 19
Tarikere ...	0 57	1 05	31 57	26 54	+4 98
Koppa ...	2 00	1 92	116 56	101 75	+14 81
Mudgere ...	2 47	2 33	77 92	84 57	−6 65
Narasimharajpura ...	1 30	1 52	51 64	61 94	−10 30
Sringeri ...	4 12	2 13	147 56	149 03	−1 47
District Average ...	1 53	1 59	66 88	65 85	+1 03
CHITALDRUG.					
Chitaldrug ...	0 32	1 40	22 74	16 13	+7 61
Challakere ...	0 20	1 52	13 49	11 40	+12 09
Hiriyur ...	0 00	1 75	12 72	13 72	−1 00
Holalkere ...	0 00	1 50	17 24	17 12	+0 10
Davangere ...	0 63	1 63	19 75	17 58	+2 22
Molakalmuru ...	0 00	2 22	12 02	15 93	−3 91
Jagalur ...	0 00	1 63	13 51	15 49	−1 98
Hosdurga ...	0 00	1 41	9 79	15 15	−5 36
Harihar ...	0 42	1 30	16 92	14 05	+1 87
District Average ...	0 17	1 59	15 35	15 16	+0 07
Provincial Average ...	0 50	1 45	29 94	29 22	+0 72

STATEMENT SHOWING THE PRICES OF FOOD-GRAINS IN SEERS PER RUPEE AND MARKET FLUCTUATIONS IN PRICES OF FOOD-GRAINS FOR THE 39TH WEEK ENDING SATURDAY THE 25TH SEPTEMBER 1948.

	Kind of grains	This week	Past week	Past ten years' fortnightly average
		Srs.	Srs.	Srs.
Bangalore	Rice, 2nd sort	1·8	3·8	6·0
	Ragi	4·0	5·0	12·0
	Kulthi	2·8	2·8	6·0
	Kadale	2·4	2·4	6·0
Kolar	Rice, 2nd sort	1·7	1·7	6·0
	Ragi	3·0	3·1	10·0
	Kulthi	2·0	2·2	6·0
	Kadale	1·7	1·7	4·0
Tumkur	Rice, 2nd sort	2·0	2·0	4·0
	Ragi	3·5	3·5	8·0
	Kulthi	2·5	2·5	5·0
	Kadale	2·0	2·0	4·0
Mysore	Rice, 2nd sort	2·8	2·0	5·0
	Ragi	3·0	3·0	9·0
	Kulthi	1·8	1·8	8·0
	Kadale	1·4	1·4	8·0
Mandya	Rice, 2nd sort	1·8	1·8	4·8
	Ragi	3·0	3·0	8·0
	Kulthi	1·12	1·12	7·0
	Kadale	1·8	1·8	3·0
Hassan	Rice, 2nd sort	1·12	1·12	5·0
	Ragi	3·8	3·8	8·0
	Kulthi	2·0	2·0	8·0
	Kadale	1·4	1·4	4·0
Shimoga.	Rice, 2nd sort	2·0	2·0	7·51
	Ragi	3·4	3·4	19·94
	Kulthi	2·0	2·4	9·88
	Kadale	1·6	1·4	...
Chikmagalur.	Rice, 2nd sort	2·0	2·0	...
	Ragi	4·0	4·0	...
	Kulthi	2·8	2·8	...
	Kadale	1·8	1·8	...
Chitaldrug	Rice, 2nd sort	2·8	2·8	6·0
	Ragi	3·8	3·8	16·0
	Kulthi	3·0	3·0	14·8
	Cholum	3·0	3·0	16·0
	Kesula	1·4	1·4	7·0

DISTRICT REPORTS.

8. Markets how supplied.

9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable out-turn of the harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.

10. Prospects of season, tracts in which rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity. Number of people under relief and state of food stocks.

11. Remarks on the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage of fodder, etc.

BANGALORE.

8 Well supplied.

9. (1) *Standing Crops.*—Ragi, avare, thogari, groundnut, potatoes, paddy and sugarcane are in a fair condition.

(2) *Harvests.*—Nil.

(3) *Crops sown.*—Nil.

Rain is urgently is required for the standing crops.

10. Good. Coolies find sufficient labour.

11. *Prospects on the condition of Cattle.*—Cattle are reported to be generally healthy. Water and fodder are available.

12. *Public Health.*—It is reported that plague is prevailing in Thyamagondlu, Dobspet, Dodbele, Sondekoppa, and Kempohalli in Nelamangala Taluk and preventive measures have been taken to check the spread of the disease.

KOLAR.

8. Moderately supplied.

9. *Seeds sown.*—Nil.

Standing Crops.—Ragi, avare, thogari, horsegram and punaji paddy are withering for want of sufficient rains.

Crops harvested.—Nil.

10. Rains are immediately required for the standing crops which are withering.

Cooly class find sufficient labour.

Public Health.—Public health is generally good except for prevalence of plague in Malapalli Village in Chintamani Taluk, in Nangli Village in Mulbagal Taluk, in Melur, Kumbliganahalli and Hireballa Villages in Sidlaghatta Taluk. Preventive measures have been taken by the Health Department to check the spread of the disease.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy except for Blackquarter in Ralicharlu Village in Sidlaghatta Taluk, in Sathandahalli and Harlakunte Villages in Srinivasapur Taluk. Necessary preventive measures are taken to check further spread of the disease. Fodder and water are available.

TUMKUR.

8. Fairly well supplied.

9. *Seeds sown.*—Paddy is being transplanted in some parts of Kunigal Taluk.

Standing Crops.—Ragi, avare, haraka, togari, groundnut, jola, horsegram in all parts of the District. Sugarcane in Kunigal and Tumkur Taluks. Standing crops are withering in many parts of the district for want of rain.

Crops harvested.—Jola in some parts of Chiknaikanahalli Taluk.

10. Fair in general. Rainfall is badly needed for the standing crops.

Public health is generally good except for prevalence of plague in Chiknaikanhalli Town and villages round about that Taluk and in Mugaloor Village in Turuvekere Taluk. It is reported that small-pox is prevailing in the villages of Chiknaikanahalli, Gubbi, Tiptur and Kunigal Taluks. Sufficient steps to check the spread of the diseases are reported to have been taken.

Cattle are reported to be healthy except for outbreak of Blackquarter in some parts of Sira, Gubbi, Chiknaikanahalli and Pavagada Taluks. Preventive measures are reported to have been taken to check the spread of disease.

Fodder and water are available. Cooly classes find sufficient labour.

MYSORE.

8. The supply is reported to be normal in all Taluks except in Hunsur. Foodstuffs are reported to be costly in places where they are not sold through Government agency.

9. *Standing crops.*—Ragi and paddy are reported to be good in all the taluks except in Hunsur Taluk. Jola and ragi crops in some parts of Hunsur and Krishnarajanagar Taluks are reported to have been affected by untimely and scanty rainfall.

10 (i) Fair.

(ii) There were no rains in any of the Taluks except Mysore, Hunsur, Gundlupet, Nanjangud and T.-Narsipur Taluks where also it was scanty.

(iii) Nil.

(iv) None under relief.

(v) Sufficient quantity of food grains are reported to be available, generally in all the taluks.

11. Cattle are reported to be healthy. Fodder and water are available.

MANDYA.

8. Fairly well supplied but the rates are very high. Rationed articles are however being supplied through Government Depots at existing rates.

9. *Seeds sown.*—Transplantation of sugarcane and paddy is reported to be in progress in Mandya and French-Rocks Taluks.

Crops harvested.—Sugarcane is being harvested in Irwin Canal area.

State of standing crops.—The condition of the standing crops, paddy and sugarcane is reported to be good in Irwin Canal area. Whereas the condition of ragi crops is not promising though there was some rainfall during the week. The Amildar of Mandya Taluk reports that the ragi crop is withering in the western part of Dudda Hobli and North-western part of Basaral Hobli for want of rains.

It is reported by the Amildar of Malvalli Taluk, that ragi crop has suffered in half a dozen villages round about Kirgaval and half a dozen villages round about Halagur owing to heavy rains during sowing.

10. Prospects of the season are reported to be generally good. Some showers of rain are required for the standing crop ragi in all the taluks.

11. Cattle is reported to be generally healthy. Fodder and water are also available. It is reported by the Amildar of Malvalli Taluk that there is prevalence of plague in Inam Hosahalli and Malvalli Town (Adikarnataka Street). Action is being taken to check the epidemic.

HASSAN.

8. Well supplied.

Crops sown.—Nil.

9. *Standing Crops.*—Paddy in Manjarabad, Arkalgud, Belur, Alur and Hole-Narasipur Taluks; ragi and horsegram in Arkalgud Taluk; and sugarcane in Belur and Alur Taluks are reported to be in good condition. Rains are urgently needed in all the taluks. It is reported that the standing crops, *viz.*, ragi and jola in parts of Chennarayapatna Taluk are very much affected for want of rains.

Crops harvested.—Kar-paddy is being reaped and sugarcane is being milled in parts Chennarayapatna Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are reported to be generally good.

11. Water and fodder are available for cattle. Cattle are reported to be healthy.

SHIMOGA.

8. Fairly well supplied.

9. Horsegram is being sown in Shikarpur Taluk. Paddy and Sugarcane are reported to be in good condition in all Taluks. Dry crops are reported to have suffered to some extent in some parts of Channagiri Taluk owing to heavy rains. Areca is affected with Koleroga. Spraying operations are taken up to eradicate the same.

10. Seasonal conditions are reported to be fair in all Taluks. Coolies find sufficient labour. Foodgrains are available in all parts of the District.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy all over the District. Fodder and water are available in all Taluks.

CHIKMAGALUR.

8. Markets are well supplied except for food grains.

9. *Crops grown.*—Nil.

Standing Crops.—Paddy, ragi, jola, til, groundnut, coriander and sugarcane.

Agricultural operations are almost over.

10. *Public Health.*—Plague continues to prevail in Singatagere Hobli of Kadur Taluk and Chickmagaiur Town and Hariharapura Village of Koppa Taluk. A few cases of small-pox also are reported from Thimlapura of Kadur Taluk.

Public health in the rest of the District is reported to be generally good.

Seasonal conditions are good.

11. Cattle are healthy. Water and fodder are available.

CHITALDRUG.

9. Markets are reported to be well supplied.

9. *Sowing.*—Paddy in Challakere Taluk is reported to be sown under Nala and wells.

Standing Crops.—Ragi, cotton, in Chitaldrug, ragi, paddy mungari jola, navane, save, sajje, horsegram, and tur in Chellakere, ragi, paddy and cotton in Hiriyur; jola, ragi, tur, horsegram and groundnut in Holalkere; jola and ragi in Jagalur; ragi, jola, cotton, tur avare, horsegram, paddy and navane in Harihar Taluks are reported to be in good condition. It is rsported that Ragi and jola, corps are withering for want of rains in Hosadurga Taluk.

Harvest.—Jola and groundnut in Chitaldrug and groundnut in Hosadurga Taluk are reported to be harvested.

10. Relief works started in previous year are in progress. Cooly classes are finding sufficient labour throughout the District.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy throughout the District, except in a few villages of Challakere and Chitaldrug Taluks where Black quarter disease is prevailing. Precautionary measures are reported to have been taken by the Veterinary Department to check the spread of the disease.

Water and fodder are available throughout the District.

STATEMENT SHOWING THE PRICES CURRENT (RETAIL) OF RICE (2ND SORT), RAGI AND HORSEGRAM, AT THE SEVERAL TALUK HEADQUARTERS FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, THE 25TH SEPTEMBER 1948.

District	Taluk	Quantity per rupee by the standard seer of 80 tolas — Rice, 2nd sort Srs. Chs.	Ragi Srs. Chs.	Horse-gram Srs. Chs.	Bengal-gram Srs. Chs.
Bangalore	Bangalore North, Bangalore South	1 8	3 0	2 0	2 0
	Hoskote	1 8	4 0	2 8	2 0
	Dodballapur	1 8	4 0	2 0	1 8
	Nelamangala	1 8	4 0	2 8	2 0
	Kankanhalli	1 8	4 0	2 0	1 8
	Magadi	1 8	3 0	2 0	1 8
	Channapatna	1 8	3 0	2 0	1 4
	Anekal	1 12	4 0	2 0	2 0
	Devanhalli	1 8	3 8	2 0	1 4
	Closepet	1 8	3 8	3 0	1 4
Kolar	Kolar	1 8	3 0	2 0	1 8
	Bowringpet	1 8	3 0	2 4	1 12
	Chintamani	1 4	2 12	1 12	1 8
	Mulbagal	1 4	3 0	1 12	1 8
	Sidlaghatta	1 8	2 12	1 12	1 8
	Chikballapur	1 8	3 0	2 0	1 4
	Bagepalli	1 8	3 0	2 0	1 4
	Goribidnur	1 4	3 0	2 0	1 8
	Malur	1 8	3 0	2 0	1 8
	Srinivaspur	1 8	3 0	2 0	1 4
	Gudibanda	1 8	3 0	2 0	1 4
Tumkur	Tumkur	1 5	3 5	2 12	...
	Madhugiri	1 5	3 0	2 0	...
	Chiknayakanhalli	1 5	3 5	2 5	...
	Sira	1 5	3 5	2 0	...
	Gubbi	2 0	3 5	2 12	...
	Tiptur	1 38	3 0	1 7	...
	Pavagada	1 15	3 0	2 0	...
	Kunigal	1 15	3 5	2 0	...
	Koratagere	2 0	3 0	2 0	...
	Turuvekere	2 0	3 0	2 0	...
Mysore	Mysore	2 8	3 0	2 0	1 4
	Chamarajnagar	2 8	3 0	1 8	1 0
	Hunsur	2 0	3 4	1 12	1 4
	Krishnarajnagar	2 0	3 0	1 8	1 4
	Heggaddevankote	2 0	3 0	2 0	1 4
	Gundlupet	2 8	3 0	1 4	1 0
	Nanjangud	2 0	3 4	1 8	1 0
	T. Narasipur	2 8	3 4	2 0	1 4
	Periyapatna	1 8	3 0	2 0	1 4
Mandya	Mandya	1 8	3 0	1 12	1 8
	Seringapatam	1 8	3 0	1 12	1 8
	Malvalli	1 8	3 0	1 12	1 8
	Krishnarajpet	1 8	3 0	1 12	1 8
	Nagamangala	1 8	3 0	1 12	1 8
	Maddur	1 8	3 0	1 12	1 8
	French-Rocks	1 8	3 0	1 12	1 8
Hassan	Hassan	1 12	3 8	2 0	1 4
	Manjarabad	2 0	3 8	2 0	1 4
	Arkalgud	1 12	4 4	2 0	1 4
	Belur	1 8	3 8	1 12	1 4
	Channarayapatna	1 8	3 8	2 0	1 4
	Arsikere	2 0	4 0	2 0	1 4
	Hole-Narsipur	2 0	4 8	2 0	1 8
	Alur	1 12	4 0	2 0	1 4
Shimoga	Shimoga	2 0	3 4	2 0	1 8
	Channagiri	1 12	3 8	2 8	1 4
	Honnali	3 0	3 0	2 8	1 8
	Shikarpur	2 0	3 0	2 8	1 4
	Sorab	1 12	3 0	2 8	1 2
	Sagar	1 12	3 0	2 4	1 8
	Nagar	2 4	3 8	1 8	1 4
	Thirthahalli	...	...	2 0	1 8
	Kumsi	2 0	3 8	2 4	1 10
Chikmagalur	Chikmagalur	2 0	4 0	2 8	1 8
	Kadur	1 12	3 0	2 4	1 4
	Tarikere	2 0	3 0	2 0	1 8
	Koppa	3 0	4 0	1 4	1 4
	Mudgere	1 8	3 0	1 12	1 4
	Narasimharajapura	2 8	3 4	1 4	1 4
	rin eri	2 8	4 0	2 0	1 4
Chitaldrug	Chitaldrug	2 8	3 8	3 0	...
	Challakere	2 8	3 4	2 8	...
	Hiriyur	2 8	3 0	4 0	...
	Holalkere	2 8	3 0	4 0	...
	Davangere	2 8	3 0	3 0	...
	Molakalmuru	2 0	3 0	2 8	...
	Jagalur	2 0	3 0	2 8	...
	Hosdurga	2 8	3 0	2 12	...
	Harihar	2 8	3 0	2 8	...

OFFICE OF THE REVENUE COMMISSIONER IN MYSORE,
Bangalore,
Dated 28th September 1948.

S. NARAYANA RAO,
Revenue Commissioner.

MYSORE STATE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH

NOTE ON THE STATE OF PUBLIC HEALTH IN MYSORE STATE FOR THE WEEK ENDED THURSDAY, THE 16TH SEPTEMBER 1948.

A total of 127 attacks with 44 deaths from Plague was returned from 38 villages in 24 taluks in 8 districts during the week against 28 attacks with 29 deaths in the previous week. Cities of Bangalore, Mysore and Kolar Gold Field Area reported free from Plague. Comparative figures for the corresponding week in 1947 and 1946 were 119 attacks with 42 deaths and 72 attacks with 31 deaths, respectively.

A total of 17 attacks with 5 deaths from Small-pox were reported from Kankanhalli, Hassan, Malvalli, Chiknaikanhalli and Tiptur Taluks.

The State remained free from Cholera, Influenza and Relapsing Fever.

The total mortality for Bangalore City amounted to 161 (42 in hospitals) representing a calculated death-rate of 27·5 (20·3 excluding hospital deaths) per mille of population (annual basis) as against 25·1 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes the deaths numbered: 1 under Malaria, 1 under Typhoid, 5 under Other Fevers, 16 under Phthisis, 15 under Dysentery and Diarrhœa and 123 under All Other Causes. The reported mortality was normal.

During the week, the Civil Station, Bangalore, returned 44 deaths (8 in hospitals) for 4 days representing a calculated death-rate of 22·7 (18·5 excluding hospital deaths) per mille of population (annual basis) as against 30·5 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes the deaths were: Broncho-Pneumonia 1, Pneumonia 6, Dysentery and Diarrhœa 8 and All Other Causes 29.

The total mortality for Mysore City was 20 (15 in hospitals) for 4 days representing a calculated death-rate of 9·9 (2·5 excluding hospital deaths) per mille of population (annual basis) as against 21·5 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes the deaths were: Malaria 1, Typhoid 1, Phthisis 4, Dysentery and Diarrhœa 1 and All Other Causes 13. The reported mortality was very low.

There were 21 death (4 in hospitals) for 5 days from all causes in Kolar Gold Fields Area equivalent to a calculated death-rate of 7·7 (5·1 excluding hospital deaths) per mille of population (annual basis) as against 8·3 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes the deaths numbered: 1 under Malaria, 1 under Other Fevers, 1 under Phthisis, 2 under Dysentery and Diarrhœa and 16 under All Other Causes. The reported mortality was very very low.

4771 S. P. ANIKER, For *Director.*

NOTE ON THE STATE OF PUBLIC HEALTH IN MYSORE STATE FOR THE WEEK ENDED THURSDAY, 23RD SEPTEMBER 1948.

A total of 61 attacks with 36 deaths from Plague w returned from 25 villages in 18 taluks in 8 districts during week against 127 attacks with 44 deaths in the previous w Cities of Bangalore, Mysore and Kolar Gold Field reported free from Plague. Comparative figures for the c ponding week in 1947 and 1946 were 92 attacks with 36 d and 67 attacks with 41 deaths, respectively.